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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 572

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
5th April 1864.*

No. 79. Read the following letter from R. E. MASTER, Esq., Officiating Director of Revenue Settlement, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 1st April 1864, No. 367-15 :—

SIR,

1. Adverting to the Order of Government noted in the margin, I have the honor to state that the sum of Rupees 1,500 therein sanctioned for each Settlement Party as a permanent floating advance for the construction of boundary pillars is found in practice to be insufficient for the purpose. The work is going on in several Talooks and in some instances in two or more Districts, at the same time, and notwithstanding that every effort is made to submit the bills for actual expenditure for the sanction of the Board without delay, the Officers in charge of Parties find themselves crippled from the want of the necessary funds in hand. In addition to the construction of boundary pillars it is occasionally necessary to incur expenditure in carrying out the provisions of Sections VII and VIII, Act XXVIII of 1860, and although the outlay under the first named Section is eventually recovered from the parties concerned, there is no source but the Pillar Fund from which it can be in the first instance provided.

2. Under these circumstances I request that the Government will be pleased to raise the permanent advance sanctioned in the Order quoted from Rupees 1,500 to Rupees 2,500 for each Party.

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ORDER THEREON, 5th April 1864, No. 572.
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(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Revenue Settlement.
Accountant General.

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